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MR. AND MRS. EAMES VISIT PARENTS AND ALUMNI IN TEXAS AND CALIFORNIA

During the winter term, Mr. and Mrs. Eames, accompanied sometimes by faculty members, have visited several cities and states to meet with parents, alumni, and prospective students. The school is deeply grateful to those parents and friends who acted as hosts for these gatherings.

The Eames' first trip was to Rochester and Cleveland. In Rochester they were entertained by the Reverend and Mrs. George L. Cadigan and in Cleveland by Mr. and Mrs. Hall Kirkham, parents of George. On January 19 Mr. and Mrs. Allen Davidson of Wellesley, parents of Malcolm, entertained at their home, and in Portland on January 21 Mr. and Mrs. John W. Deering, parents of John, Jr. '47 and Robinson '49, were the hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip M. Morgan, parents of Paul '41 and Peter '43, gave a tea at their home in Worcester on February 2. Mr. Morgan is a trustee of the Academy. A trip to Texas and California came next. In Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Weichsel, parents of Christian, II '50 and Dunlap, and Mr. and Mrs. Webster Atwell, parents of William, extended their hospitality to the Eameses. In Pasadena, Mr. Eames spoke at the Polytechnic Elementary School, and he and Mrs. Eames were entertained by a number of their friends.

MR. EAMES TAKES SENIOR COUNCIL TO CELTICS GAME

On January 18, Mr. and Mrs. Eames took the members of the Senior Council to dinner in Boston and to the Celtics basketball game.

This group of sixteen boys, with George McGregor acting as chairman, has been very active this year. Mr. Eames has frequently discussed school problems with them; they have taken over some proctoring duties in the younger boys' dormitories, have acted as head waiters and assisted in the supervision of the Saturday movies.

ONE HUNDRED AND ONE ATTEND ANNUAL BOSTON ALUMNI DINNER

The annual Boston Alumni Dinner was held at the Harvard Club of Boston on Friday evening, January 26, with eighty-nine alumni in attendance, as well as Mr. Eames, Mr. Barriskill, Mr. Mercer, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Navins, Mr. Simmons, Mr. Ohn, Mr. Sager, Mr. Stone, Mr. Traver, and Mr. Witherspoon of the faculty. Former faculty included Mr. Barry and Mr. King. This was the largest gathering of Governor Dummer alumni ever held in Boston and one of the most enthusiastic.

John H. Dyer '37, President of the Association, presided at the meeting following the dinner and called on Mr. Navins '31, Treasurer of the Association, to give a report on the 1763 Fund for the past year.

The speakers of the evening were Mr. Arthur W. Sager of the faculty and Arthur S. Ross '37. Mr. Sager called upon the alumni to take an increasingly active interest in the school and said such interest is essential if the school is to fulfill its purpose in helping to create responsible citizens.

A "get tough" policy towards Russia was urged by Mr. Ross, a flight lieutenant in World War II who was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross. He said we should warn the Soviet that one more move will result in immediate retaliation. Such a policy could be pursued only with the backing of the entire country, but he charged that the leadership necessary to bring such unity is "basically lacking." The major task of secondary schools in these critical times is to develop that leadership, and this can be brought about through the development of confidence.

At the conclusion of Mr. Ross' talk, Mr. Sager led the group in singing.

MORE BRIEFLY

On January 13 thirty Governor Dummer boys attended a dance at the Waynflete School in Portland, Maine. Prior to the dance the boys were guests at dinner in the homes of the girls.

THE ARCHON OF GOVERNOR DUMMER ACADEMY



POET ROBERT P. TRISTRAM COFFIN TALKS WITH MR. WITHERSPOON AND BILL BRIDGES
AFTER READING HIS POEMS TO THE SCHOOL



BOYNTON HOUSE, RECENT ADDITION TO ACADEMY PROPERTY, IS LOCATED ON MIDDLE
STREET, OPPOSITE THE ALUMNI GYMNASIUM

ACADEMY PURCHASES
MOODY BOYNTON HOUSE

The Academy has recently purchased the Moody Boynton house and land across Middle Street from the Alumni Gymnasium. Since the four acres of land border Whipple Field on the west and the lawns of the Cottage on the north, it is a particularly happy addition to the Academy property.

The large yellow house on the property dates back to Revolutionary times. It originally belonged to the Noyes family, but about 1910 was acquired by Mr. Moody Boynton, an inventor best known for a variety of power saw now in nearly universal use. Recently the house has been used by his widow and his sons as a summer residence.

The house now lacks plumbing, heating, and electricity. It is also in need of extensive repairs and possible remodelling. Accordingly, funds will have to be raised before the house can be used for school purposes. However, one immediate benefit of the new acquisition is that it will make possible improved approaches to the athletic facilities of Whipple Field.

COMMANDER MacMILLAN TO
TELL BOYS OF THE FAR NORTH

On Saturday evening, April 14, Commander Donald B. MacMillan, explorer, teacher, scientist, and author, will speak to the boys and faculty on *The Far North* and show natural color motion pictures of icebergs, birds, walrus, and polar bears.

Since serving as assistant to Admiral Peary on his successful North Pole expedition, MacMillan has commanded many highly important northern expeditions which have added infinitely to the knowledge of this hitherto unknown part of the globe.

As Captain of his own ship, the *Bowdoin*, he has travelled over 250,000 miles of Arctic waters; also thousands of miles by dog team and by plane. He has extensively explored Labrador, Ungava Bay, Foxe Basin, Baffin Island, Ellesmere Land, Greenland, Hudson Bay, and the Polar Sea.

In 1929 he built and equipped the MacMillan-Moravian Eskimo School at Nain, Labrador, which he and Mrs. MacMillan continue to maintain, at the present time, caring for seventy Eskimo children.

ROBERT P. TRISTRAM COFFIN
READS POEMS AT ACADEMY

On the evening of Friday, January 19, the school was host to Mr. Robert P. Tristram Coffin, celebrated poet and essayist, who read excerpts from poetry before an assembly of the boys in the Cobb Room. Now a professor at Bowdoin College, Mr. Coffin is the author of many novels, biographies, and books of verse, for which he was awarded the Pulitzer Prize in 1935.

In his reading Mr. Coffin attempted to define the American spirit; and the poems recited dealt with the telephone, the old swimming hole, baked beans, and other things which are thought of as typically American. Before reading each poem, Mr. Coffin told its story and how he was inspired to write it, thus providing an interesting back drop to the verse.

COLLEGE ADMISSIONS OFFICERS
TALK TO ACADEMY STUDENTS

During the winter term several more college admissions officers have visited the Academy to talk with the boys. They include:

Dr. Richard M. Gummere, Chairman of the Committee on Admission at Harvard College, on January 7.

Mr. Frederick C. Copeland, Director of Admissions at Williams College, on January 11.

Mr. William R. Peelle, Assistant Secretary of Admissions at Trinity College, Hartford, on January 16.

Mr. Albert I. Dickerson, Director of Admissions, and Mr. Robert Hage, Assistant Director of Admissions, at Dartmouth, on January 29.

Mr. William H. Low, Assistant Director of Admissions at Wesleyan, on January 30.

Mr. Hubert S. Shaw, Director of Admissions at Bowdoin, on January 30.

Mr. Eugene S. Wilson, Associate Dean and Director of Admission at Amherst, on February 5.

Mr. Grant E. Curtis, Admissions Officer at Tufts College, on February 8.

Mr. D. A. Dudley, Assistant to the Director of Admissions at M.I.T., on February 13.

Mr. Jere Chase, Director of Admissions at the University of New Hampshire, on February 14.



THE GOVERNOR DUMMER GLEE CLUB

Left to right (*first row*): David L. Powers, David H. Clary, Charles N. Hussey, Nathan A. Fuller, E. Ronan Campion, President Harald L. Amrhein, Jr., Charles C. Robb, James E. Hicks, Peter R. Remis, Fred H. Barrows, 3d, Frederick H. Hobbs.
 (*Second Row*): K. Dodd Miles, David B. Abramson, Louis A. Ireton, George E. Gale, III, J. Tyler Resch, Charles F. Wensinger, Richard J. Zelig, James L. Fothergill, Frederick M. Smith, II, Paul A. Getchell, Arthur M. Fass, Stephen B. Shohet.
 (*Third Row*): Edward M. Hay, B. Dirk Owens, Edgar H. Lawson, L. Franco Derba, Allen T. Smith, John J. Murdock, III, Lawrence W. Sawyer, Jr., Joseph G. Cook, Jr., William C. Pinkham, Richard Blackmur, Jr. (*Fourth Row*): George D. Kirkham, William E. Bridges, William F. Lacey, 3d, Stephen Ream, Frederick P. Bowden, 3d, George E. McGregor, Jr., John L. Harris, Peter T. C. Bramhall, James G. Scott.

GLEE CLUB IN JOINT CONCERTS
WITH ABBOT AND DANA HALL

The Glee Club opened its winter schedule of concerts on Saturday evening, February 24, by combining with the Fidelio Society of Abbot Academy to present a highly successful concert at Andover. Among the selections of the Governor Dummer Glee Club were Wilhousky's *Meadowlands*, Bach's *Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring*, and a new addition to the repertoire, *The Musical Trust* by Clokey. The Fidelio Society, directed by Miss Kate Friskin, sang *The Nightingale* by Weelkes, *Hymn to the Waters* by Holst, and *On the Morrow* arranged by Gaines. The combined clubs performed several excerpts from Wagner's *Die Meistersinger* and *How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place* from Brahms' *Requiem*.

The highlight of the evening, however, was the performance of William L. Bruni, violinist, whose presentation of Mozart's *Violin Concerto in G Major* and *Fiddle Faddle* by Leroy Anderson drew the most generous applause of the evening. Bruni was accompanied on the piano by John F. G. Clifford. A dance followed the concert.

On March 3 the club will travel to Wellesley, where it will give a joint concert with the Dana Hall Glee Club.

*Pelletier Will Direct Clubs in
Symphony Hall Concert*

Following the Dana Hall concert, rehearsals will begin in earnest for the Symphony Hall festival in Boston, which will take place on April 15. The seven participating clubs will meet at Symphony Hall for a joint rehearsal on April 4, and on April 7 a dress rehearsal will be held with the orchestra in accompaniment. At this time a banquet and dance will be held in Horticultural Hall. Mr. Sager has announced that last year's artists, Dr. Wilfrid Pelletier of the Metropolitan Opera Association and the Boston Symphony Orchestra, have been engaged for the occasion, and another successful concert is anticipated.

MORE BRIEFLY

Mr. Kenneth E. Brown of the faculty has been recalled to active duty and reports February 26 to Green Cove Springs, Florida, for training and ultimate assignment to a destroyer escort.

McGREGOR ELECTED
SENIOR PRESIDENT

At a meeting of the senior class on December 13, George E. McGregor, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. McGregor, 1 Maplewood Terrace, Haverhill, was elected president of the class of 1951.

George entered Governor Dummer in 1948 and has been prominent in school activities since that time. He has served on the Red Cross Committee for two years, on the Christmas Dinner Committee, on the sports board of *The Archon*, and on the yearbook, the *Milestone*. For the past three years he has been a member of the Academy Glee Club, the Meistersingers; and his sports have included soccer, skiing, and lacrosse. At the Commencement exercises last June, he was awarded the Harvard Book Prize as the outstanding member of the junior class.

In addition to his duties as class president this year, McGregor is chairman of the vesper ushers and chairman of the Senior Council.

VESPER SPEAKERS FOR
SPRING TERM ANNOUNCED

April 8: Dr. Allan K. Chalmers of Boston University School of Theology.

April 15: Dr. J. Seelye Bixler, President of Colby College, Waterville, Maine.

April 22: Dr. Herbert Ross Brown of Bowdoin College.

April 29: The Reverend A. Grant Noble, Chaplain at Williams College.

May 6: (Special Morning Service): The Reverend Heinz Rettig of the First Religious Society of Newburyport (Unitarian).

May 6: The Reverend John B. Coburn, Chaplain at Amherst College.

May 13: Dr. Henry P. Van Dusen, President of Union Theological Seminary, New York.

May 20: Dr. Claude Moore Fuess, Headmaster Emeritus of Phillips Academy, Andover.

May 27: The Reverend George L. Cadi-
gan of St. Paul's Church, Rochester, New
York.

HEADMASTER'S CALENDAR

- January 10-13: Mr. and Mrs. Eames visited Rochester, New York, and Cleveland, Ohio, to meet with parents and graduates.
- January 22: Speaker at the Byfield Parent-Teacher Association.
- January 27: Attended Amherst College Trustee meeting at the Folger Library, Washington, D. C.
- February 1: Guest speaker at annual Tabor Academy alumni dinner in Boston.
- February 8-9: Attended annual meeting of Headmasters Association at Rye, New York.
- February 19-26: Mr. and Mrs. Eames visited Dallas, Texas, and Pasadena, California, to meet with parents and graduates.
- March 11: Will attend annual meeting of the Committee to Visit Harvard College appointed by the Board of Overseers.

EX-GOVERNORS STAR IN AMHERST-COLBY HOCKEY

Not only was it brother against brother but it seemed like old home week when the Colby Collège hockey team opened its season against Amherst on December 19. Four members of the clubs, two from each college, played together on the 1947 Governor Dummer hockey team. At that time C. Nelson Corey '35, now head hockey coach at Colby, was assistant coach at the Academy.

Daniel Hall '47 is co-captain of the Colby sextet, and his brother, Manson Hall, '49, plays for the Lord Jeffs. Two other members of that Governor Dummer team who played on opposite sides at the game were Colby's Ralph Bailey '47 and Amherst's Ashley Eames '49. At Governor Dummer Ash was co-captain of the 1948 hockey team.

ACADEMY BOYS SPEAK AT KIWANIS AND ROTARY MEETINGS

As part of the training in public speaking required of all seniors, groups of boys have spoken before Rotary and Kiwanis groups in nearby cities this winter.

At the Kiwanis club of Newburyport on February 6 Mr. Sager, John Losch, Humphrey Zabriskie, Edward Kelly, William

BERTIS PRATT ADDED TO ACADEMY FACULTY

At the beginning of the winter term Mr. Bertis Pratt, a graduate of the Academy in 1939 and of the University of Maine in 1943, returned to the Academy as a teacher, corridor master, and assistant coach.

At the Academy Mr. Pratt was a star on the basketball and tennis teams. At Maine he made a notable record in tennis both in the University and in state competition.

Mr. Pratt served with the Army Medical Corps during World War II and has since been engaged in Physical Education work, first at the Bucksport, Maine, High School and more recently as Director of the Y. M. C. A. at Bar Harbor, Maine.

NELS COREY '35, NEW COLBY FOOTBALL COACH

Announcement has been made by J. Seelye Bixler, President of Colby College, that C. Nelson Corey '35, alumnus and former faculty member of Governor Dummer, has been appointed head coach of football at Colby. The hustling former Bowdoin grid captain has directed the Colby line for the past two seasons.

Corey played outstanding football as a tackle on the Polar Bear teams of 1936-37-38. He was captain in his senior year and was twice selected, in 1937 and 1938, as tackle on the All-Maine eleven.

Corey is also head coach of hockey at Colby. While an undergraduate at Bowdoin, he was elected goalie on the All-New England second team.

As a student at Governor Dummer, Corey was a member of the football, hockey, and baseball teams; as a faculty member he was assistant coach of football and hockey.

Bridges, and William Atwell were the guest speakers. Mr. Sager introduced the boys who gave five-minute talks on a great variety of topics, ranging from Hump Zabriskie's talk on the drafting of 18-year olds to Bill Bridges' appeal for less material and more spiritual thinking.

In Haverhill on February 7 Mr. Sager, Bill Bridges, and John Losch with John Foshay and David Pope were guests of the Rotary Club. They were introduced by Harry Adams, Jr., a graduate of the Academy.



COACH EVANS CAN'T BEAR TO LOOK

The whole bench is in agony as a fellow wrestler is about to be pinned.

Y.M.C.A. BOARD PRESENTS
SILVER PITCHERS TO MR. EAMES

At the regular quarterly dinner meeting on Monday, February 12, the Essex County Y.M.C.A. Board presented two silver pitchers to the Academy in recognition of the hospitality extended them by Headmaster Eames in the past few years.

Mr. Eames has been a member of the board since 1940 and has regularly entertained them at dinner in the Academy dining hall and at faculty coffee in the Mansion House before the business meeting held in the Cobb Room.

The silver pitchers will be used at teas and receptions at the Academy, and they match those already in use on those occasions.

“BIRDIE” TEBBETTS TELLS
TALES OF BIG LEAGUES

The evening of Saturday, January 27, was baseball night at the Academy, as the boys assembled in the Lang Gymnasium to hear a lecture by “Birdie” Tebbetts, former

ALUMNI OF WORCESTER AREA
GATHER ON FEBRUARY THIRD

A group of twenty-eight alumni, wives, trustees, and faculty attended a Worcester Alumni Luncheon held at the Worcester Club on February 3. This was the first alumni meeting to be held in Worcester and the first one away from the school to which wives were invited. Paul S. Morgan '41, assisted by Seth R. Martin '33, handled the arrangements for the meeting.

After the luncheon Paul Morgan acted as toastmaster and introduced Mr. Eames, who spoke on his observations of English schools;—John H. Dyer '37, who spoke in support of the 1763 Fund;—and Mr. Sager, who spoke on the contributions made by Governor Dummer faculty to the boys outside the classroom.

star catcher for the Boston Red Sox. Mr. Tebbetts attempted to describe the average baseball player to the audience, and his tales of life in the big leagues drew many laughs, even though a large part of the listeners were hostile Yankee fans.

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EDITORIAL

Although at the present moment the draft law as applied to eighteen-year olds is nothing more than words echoing through the halls of Congress, it presents a very real danger to the young college aspirant in the form of a psychological barrier. This barrier is the attitude of defeatism which is apt to overtake a person who is eligible for the draft. At the beginning of the last war there was a very marked tendency among high-school students to resign themselves to the fact that they were destined for the armed services and consequently to concentrate on getting the most out of life while the opportunity still presented itself.

In the present times, as the outlook becomes more and more ominous, it is just this attitude of defeatism which must be overcome by the present college-hopeful. He must remember that as yet the world situation is not hopeless, that aspects are getting brighter in many places, and that, most important of all, the draft law is still only a possibility. He must not lose sight of his immediate goal—that of securing admission to the college of his choice. If he does this, in the event that the draft law is passed and he is inducted into the armed forces, a

conscientious student who has not succumbed to the Epicurean philosophy will have laid a firm groundwork for a successful college career. In view of these points, therefore, it is the duty of every prospective college student to do the best job that he possibly can, to strive for an admission to college, and not to be overcome by the mania of pessimism. In the words of the late President Roosevelt—"We have nothing to fear but fear itself."

HONOR ROLL

For Period Ending December 16, 1950

<i>First Honors</i>	<i>Second Honors</i>
W. Thomas Whitney, Jr.	John T. Lucas
David N. Walker	Robert L. Morse
Allen P. G. Staley	Thomas P. King
Walter R. Lawson	Thomas H. Larsen
John F. Burns	Noble Smith
Ronald J. Paparella	Charles C. Robb
N. Matthew Grossman	R. Daniel Musser, Jr.
Norman H. Schwartz	John A. Bullard, Jr.
G. Edward Dodge, Jr.	David M. Hicks
Newton E. Hyslop, Jr.	Peter D. Dunning
Raymond B. Meyer	James M. Morton
Peter J. Whitney	Joseph P. Sacco, Jr.
George D. Kirkham	Stephen B. Shohet
Robert L. McArthur	Charles E. McLatchy
William E. Bridges	Alan M. Starensier
Nathaniel S. Merrill	Robert J. Iafolla

HONOR ROLL

For Period Ending February 2, 1951

<i>First Honors</i>	<i>Second Honors</i>
David N. Walker	John A. Bullard, Jr.
Walter R. Lawson	L. Franco Derba
W. Thomas Whitney, Jr.	Charles C. Robb
George D. Kirkham	Joseph P. Sacco, Jr.
Norman H. Schwartz	Willard E. Stockwell
Nathaniel S. Merrill	K. Dodd Miles
William E. Bridges	David R. Hershberg
Newton E. Hyslop, Jr.	Peter D. Dunning
John F. Burns	Charles E. McLatchy
John T. Lucas	Gary R. DuGrenier
Ronald J. Paparella	Robert L. McArthur
Allen P. G. Staley	R. Daniel Musser, Jr.
William D. King	Robert L. Wenz
Noble Smith	Donald E. Paulson
Peter J. Whitney	Richard J. Zelig
Frederick H. Hobbs	Gardiner W. White



HOCKEY PRACTICE ON INGHAM RINK

GOVERNORS IN CLOSE GAMES
WITH LYNN AND THAYER FIVES

On Monday, January 22, the Governors lost a close contest to the Lynn English High School basketball team. Although English led at every stage of the game, the Governors were within one point of a tie at half time.

During the third and fourth quarters English increased its margin slightly, and the final stanza ended in Lynn's favor, 53 to 46.

Doyle, an outstanding center, scored 20 points for Lynn, while Hobbs led the Governors with 14.

On Saturday, February 3, the cagers defeated a strong Thayer team, 52 to 51 in the Alumni Gymnasium. After holding a twelve-point margin in the first period, the home club found itself in the lead by only one point at halftime.

Thayer forged ahead in the third stanza and remained there until the final two minutes of play, when the Governors, led by the shooting of Smith and Hicks, put on a strong rally and finished the game victorious.

Burke was the big man for Thayer with 27 points, while Hadley led the Governors' scoring.

MILTON NEARLY BLANKS
GOVERNORS' WRESTLERS

On February 10 a spirited Governor Dummer wrestling team went to Milton to try its skill against a strong and well-experienced team.

Almost all the matches were close, but although the Governors showed great aggressiveness, the experienced Milton wrestlers took all but one match.

Outstanding performance was given by Walter Lawson, 123 lb. class, who gained a decision and the only points of the meet for the Governors.

PONY BASKETBALL TEAM
WINS FROM EMERSON FIVE

The Pony basketball team won its first game of the season from Emerson on February 5. The score of the game was 26 to 21. The two standouts were Norm Schwartz on the backboards and Bob McArthur, high scorer. The team was much improved over the previous two games.

SPRING ATHLETIC SCHEDULE--1951

VARSITY BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Wed., April 11 at 3:00	Harvard Freshmen	Cambridge
Sat., April 21 at 2:30	Belmont Hill School	Belmont
Wed., April 25 at 3:00	Groton School	Home
Sat., April 28 at 3:00	Noble and Greenough School	Home
Sat., May 5 at 2:30	Tabor Academy	Home
Wed., May 9 at 3:00	St. Mark's School	Home
Sat., May 12 at 2:30	Kimball Union Academy	Home
Wed., May 16 at 3:00	Browne and Nichols School	Home
Sat., May 19 at 2:00	Milton Academy	Milton
Wed., May 23 at 3:15	St. Sebastian's School	Home
Sat., May 26 at 2:30	Thayer Academy	Home
Fri., June 1 at 2:30	Belmont Hill School	Home

VARSITY LACROSSE SCHEDULE

Sat., April 28 at 2:30	Dean Academy	Franklin
Wed., May 2 at 3:00	Phillips Academy	Andover
Sat., May 5 at 2:30	Tufts Freshmen	Home
Wed., May 9 at 3:00	New Hampshire Freshmen	Home
Sat., May 12 at 2:30	Middlesex School	Concord
Wed., May 16 at 3:00	Harvard Freshmen	Home
Sat., May 19 at 2:30	Tabor Academy	Home
Wed., May 23 at 3:15	The Lawrence Academy	Groton
Sat., May 26 at 2:30	Kimball Union Academy	Meriden, N. H.

TENNIS SCHEDULE

Sat., April 21 at 3:00	Middlesex School	Home
Sat., April 28 at 2:30	St. Paul's School	Home
Wed., May 9 at 3:00	Milton Academy	Milton
Fri. and Sat., May 11 and 12	Interscholastics	Exeter, N. H.
Sat., May 19 at 2:30	St. Mark's School	Home

TRACK SCHEDULE

Sat., May 12 at 2:30	Milton Academy	Home
Sat., May 19 at 1:00	Private School Meet	Andover
Sat., May 26 at 2:00	St. Paul's School	Home

GOLF SCHEDULE

Sat., May 5 at 1:00	Andover-Exeter	Andover
Wed., May 16 at 2:30	Andover-Exeter	Exeter, N. H.
Wed., May 23 at 2:30	Andover-Exeter	Home

JUNIOR VARSITY BASEBALL

Wed., April 18 at 3:00	Belmont Hill School	Home
Wed., May 16 at 3:00	Belmont Hill School	Belmont

HOCKEY TEAM BEATEN BY ST. MARK'S IN ARENA GAME

On January 24 the winless Governors took on St. Mark's at the Arena, and for a while it looked like a GDA victory. Midway through the second period the Governors led the opposition 2-1 on quick goals by Mal Davidson and Ned Werner. However, as the game wore on, the boys from Southboro took over the lead and went on to win 5-2.

Everyone who played for the Red Team did a fine job with Werner and Campion playing exceptionally well.

ST. MARK'S WRESTLERS OUTCLASS GOVERNORS

The Red and White wrestlers lost their first match of the season on January 27 to a strong St. Mark's team at the Alumni Gymnasium.

Wrestling against more experienced men, the Governors jumped to a 10-5 lead in the first three matches, but successive defeats in the upper-weight decisions resulted in a victory for the visitors.

Those to win by pin or decision were Walter Lawson, Shohet, Smythe, and Murdock. The final score was 23-13.

GOVERNORS OVER-RIDE LAST PERIOD RALLY AT BELMONT HILL

After leading by eight or nine points throughout the first three periods, the Byfield hoopsters survived a last quarter rally by Belmont Hill to win 67-62 at Belmont on Saturday, January 20.

Led by the scoring of Phil Hadley and Fred Hobbs, who scored 24 and 22 points respectively, the Governors had a substantial lead until the Hillies came alive in the last quarter.

With Patterson, a brother of John Patterson, former G.D.A. basketball captain, scoring consistently, Belmont pulled to within one point of a tie, 62-61, but Hadley then hit for two baskets to break the back of the rally and ice the game for the Governors. Hump Zabriskie played an outstanding game, rebounding brilliantly off both backboards.

GOVERNOR DUMMER FIVE WINS AT MILTON ACADEMY

On Saturday, February 10, the Governors' basketball team easily attained its fifth win by beating Milton Academy, 69-47 at Milton. The Red team scored more points and played better basketball than they had in any previous game. After getting into the driver's seat with a sixteen-point lead in the first quarter, the Governor Dummer quintet was never pressed. In the fourth quarter Coach Navins replaced the first club. Captain Hobbs and Phil Hadley were again high scorers with twenty-four and twenty points respectively.

GOVERNORS DEFEATED BY ST. SEBASTIAN'S FIVE

On January 13 the Governors journeyed to Newton for their annual game with St. Sebastian's. Hampered by an extremely slippery floor, the Red team got off to a slow start in the first half.

Faced with an eight-point deficit at half time, the Governors began to function smoothly in the third period and quickly closed the gap. Phil Hadley's six-point scoring spree in the closing seconds almost turned the tide, but the game ended with St. Sebastian's still leading, 42-40.

GOVERNORS J.V. LOSES TO LAWRENCE J.V. FIVE

The Lawrence Academy J.V. basketball team defeated the Governor Dummer J.V. 47 to 38 in the first contest of the season. Both teams got off to a slow start, but Lawrence showed its superior experience and had no trouble in building up a lead. Dave Hicks and Bill Bridges were high scorers with nine and eight points respectively for the Governors.

MORE BRIEFLY

On Saturday, February 10, Mr. A. MacDonald Murphy of the faculty was one of the speakers in a panel discussion on Safety on Trips at the annual meeting of the New England Camp Directors Association.

GOVERNORS' SEXTET WINS FROM MILTON AT ARENA

On Wednesday, January 31, a winless GDA hockey team travelled to the Boston Arena to meet the Milton sextet. About seventy boys filled two spectator buses to cheer the team to a 4-3 victory.

Charlie Brown and Eddie Dodge tallied in the first period to put the Governors ahead, 2-0. In the second period Milton scored two quickies. Ronnie Campion followed with one for the Red Club.

Then in the last period Milton tied up the game again with clever playing. With less than two minutes to go, Captain Mal Davidson fired a 25-foot screamer that hit the strings for the Governors' win. Charlie Robb excelled in the goal.

PONY BASKETBALL TEAM LOSES TO BROOKS AND EMERSON CLUBS

On January 27 the newly formed Pony basketball squad went down to defeat at Brooks 31-18. The Club was "green" and not used to playing as a combination. Captain Norm Schwartz was high scorer for the Governors.

On January 29 the Ponies lost to Emerson by the score of 30 to 27 at Governor Dummer. Dodd Miles was high scorer with eleven points. The Club was much improved over the preceding week.

MORE BRIEFLY

On February 10 Bill Bridges, Ken Bistany, and Donald Paulson, accompanied by Mr. Sager and Mr. Cleveland, attended a religious discussion group at the Browne & Nichols School in Cambridge.

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At a recent meeting of the Pen and Ink Circle of Newburyport Mr. Frederic B. Withington of the faculty spoke on "Newbury, the Withingtons, and Hawaii." Mr. Withington is a member of the far-flung family, which has been a leading one in Newburyport, in Boston, and in Hawaii. He traced the family from the time of the Reverend Leonard Withington of Newbury through to the present generation.

SKIERS LOSE SLALOM RACE TO EXETER ON LOCKE'S HILL

With only two days of actual skiing practice under its belt, the Governor Dummer ski team travelled to Locke's Hill in Amesbury on January 10 to meet Phillips' Exeter Academy in its first meet of the season. Skiing under very poor conditions, the two teams engaged in a downhill slalom race which ended with Exeter winning by a total of forty-five seconds. Ten boys from each school participated in this event, with the Governors placing two in the first five—Captain Dave Pope and Wesley Muddle.

J.V. WRESTLERS DOWN EMERSON TEAM 28-5

On February 6 an overconfident Emerson wrestling team matched the Governor Dummer J.V.'s. The Governors got off to a good start when Larsen pinned his man. Dave Moore, in the first match of his career, as it was for almost all the team, threw his opponent in fifty-six seconds. Nader and Hardy won by pins and brought the score to 20-0.

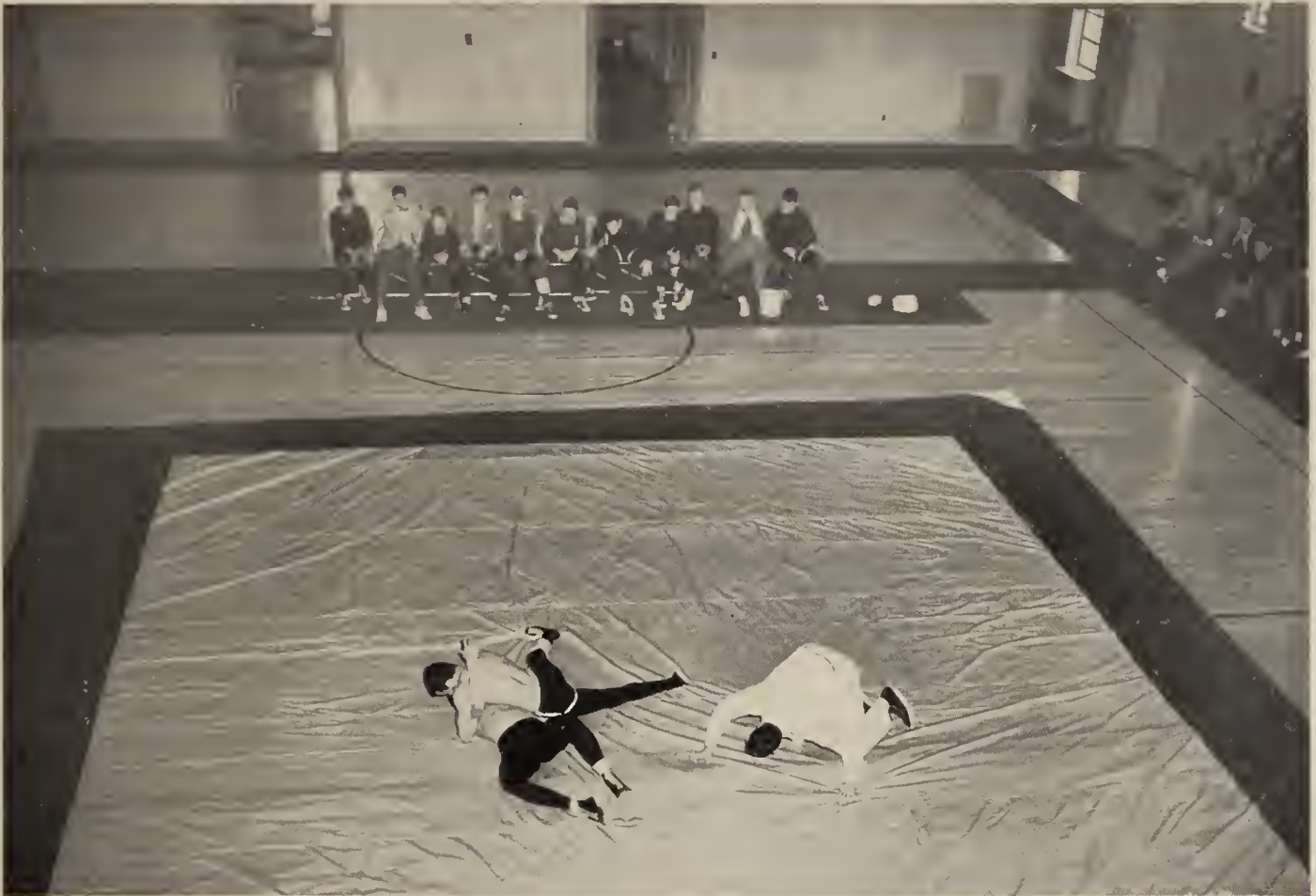
In the 137 lb class, a very good Emerson man won a decision, bringing the final score of the meet to 28-5 in favor of the Governors.

J.V. BASKETEERS LOSE TO ST. PAUL'S, BEAT BELMONT HILL AND JOHNSON HIGH

The J.V.'s. fell to a powerful St Paul's team 28-25 in the Alumni Gymnasium on January 27. It was a close game all the way and was not decided until the last few seconds. The high scorers for the Governors were Dave Hicks and Dick Bittner with eight points each.

The J.V. basketball team came back on the 31st of January to take the Johnson High varsity 37-30 in the new gym. The Governors dropped in seven points before Johnson High tallied, and at half time were leading 17-11.

A confident Belmont Hill team bowed to the invading Governor five 66-33 on Saturday, January 20. The Governors gained an early lead and continued to overpower the Belmont team.



THE ST. MARK'S WRESTLING MEET IN THE ALUMNI GYM

The new 30 x 30 wrestling mat and the new plastic cover were used for the first time in this meet.

NEW BASKETBALL COURT SCENE OF LIVELY WIN OVER LAWRENCE

On Wednesday, January 10, the varsity basketball team played the Lawrence Academy varsity in the Alumni Gymnasium in the opening game of the season and won a thriller, 57-53. This was the first varsity basketball game to be played in the new Alumni Gymnasium. The first half was definitely a one-sided affair, and the outcome looked rather gloomy to the Governor Dummer fans, as Lawrence led 29-19.

When play resumed in the second half, the home team began to play an inspired brand of ball, owing, perhaps, to Coach Navins' pep talk. Within a minute the Red Team scored six quick points. During the third and fourth periods the team caught fire with Al Smith and Don Rice leading the attack. With four minutes to go the Governors tied the score and then went on to win. The whole team played a superb second half with Hadley and Hobbs leading in the scoring column.

WRESTLERS IN TIE WITH NOBLE AND GREENOUGH

In their first home match of the season on January 20 the Governor Dummer matmen played host to a very strong Noble and Greenough team.

Lawson and Shohet won decisions in the first two matches. In the 137-pound class Bob Wenz wrestled for the first time of his career and lost a very close decision. Ted Barrows and captain Bob Smythe met very fast and strong opponents and, although they showed aggressiveness, both were pinned.

With the score 13-6 against the Red and White team, John Hjorth got a quick pin, bringing the score up to 13-11. After a very hard fight John Murdock pinned his opponent putting the Governors back in the lead 16-13. Pete Ireton, a newcomer to the team, in the unlimited class, lost a decision to tie the score of the meet at 16-16.

Coach Evans felt that the team showed considerable improvement in this meet.

GOVERNORS BREEZE PAST BROWNE AND NICHOLS FIVE

On Wednesday, February 7, a confident Governor Dummer five romped to its fourth victory, over the Browne and Nichols team in the Alumni Gymnasium, 61-43. After an extremely slow start, the Red team built up a twenty-point lead and from then on were not pressed.

J. V. HOCKEY TEAM OUTPOINTS BROOKS TEAM IN LYNN ARENA

On January 17 the Governors' J.V. hockey team played the Brooks School J.V.'s at the Lynn Arena. Although the Brooks team played aggressive hockey, the Governors controlled the play and walked off with their first win, 5-0.

In the scoring department, Cebe-Habersky scored three and John Sefton scored two.

Noble and Greenough Proves Too Strong for Governors

On January 31, the Red and White J.V. sextet again journeyed to Lynn to play the Noble and Greenough J.V. hockey team. Although outclassed, the Red and White held their guests scoreless for the first two periods.

In the third period, however, the Noble and Greenough team pushed ahead by three goals. With two minutes left, Sefton scored a long shot for the Governors to give them their only goal. The final score was 3-1.

J.V.'S LOSE CLOSE GAME TO BELMONT HILL SEXTET

On February 3 the Red and White J.V. sextet played the Belmont Hill J.V.'s on Morse Field rink. The Governors scored first on a beautiful goal by Charlie Palmer. In the second period a worried Belmont Hill team tied it up, but before the period ended Sefton scored and put the Governors out ahead.

In the third period, with about forty-five seconds remaining, Belmont Hill tied it up again with a very nice goal, and in the second five-minute overtime Belmont scored on a shot which goalie Jim White had no chance to stop. The final score was 3-2 for Belmont Hill.

GOVERNORS WIN THEIR SECOND GAME IN A ROW

Lawrence Academy in Groton was the host to the Governor Dummer hockey team on Saturday, February 3. Ice and weather conditions were perfect for an exciting game. The Governors' first two goals were scored in the first period by Packard and Champion, while Lawrence tallied with one.

Action remained fast in the second period while the Governors scored once more. The third period saw some very thrilling action when Lawrence tied up the game with two fast goals at 3-3. However, they were unable to prevent the Red Club from scoring two more. Ronnie Champion played an outstanding game, getting four out of the five goals. Both teams played very good games.

GOVERNORS LOSE TO NOBLES IN FIRST LEAGUE GAME

On January 10 a hopeful Governor Dummer hockey team journeyed to the Boston Arena to meet Noble and Greenough in the first round of the 1951 Private School League competition. The Governors got off to a slow start and allowed Nobles to score first, but shortly after the opponent's initial goal George Packard scored on a pass from Barry Lougee to tie up the game.

Nobles was the aggressor from then on, and the scoreboard read 6-1 at the end of the game. The Governors fought very well, having had only one practice, and they showed promise of improvement.

GOVERNORS LOSE FIRST HOCKEY GAME AT HOME

The Brooks hockey team came from North Andover to the Governors' Morse rink on Saturday, January 13, to win a fast hockey game 2-1 in spite of bitter cold weather. This was the first home game of the season for the Governors.

Action for the first two periods was fast, but there was no scoring due to the fine work of both goalies. The Governors started off the scoring in the third period with a goal by Captain Mal Davidson, assisted by Ronnie Champion. Five seconds later the Brooks sextet scored on a fast breakaway. This was followed by another goal later in the period.

GOVERNORS PIN BROWNE
AND NICHOLS WRESTLERS

On Wednesday, January 17, the Governor Dummer matmen journeyed to Browne and Nichols for their first wrestling match and scored a 17 to 9 victory.

Walter Lawson started the match off right by gaining a decision from his opponent in the 123-lb. class. Steve Shohet followed up with another in the 130-lb. class. Mike Iafolla and John Hjorth added to the score with pins over their opponents. John Murdock then clinched the match by winning a decision from the Browne and Nichols captain.

GOVERNORS' WINNING STREAK
BROKEN BY MIDDLESEX SIX

On Wednesday, February 7, the Governor Dummer hockey team met a strong Middlesex team in the Boston Arena. The first period of the game proved to be a nightmare for the Governors, their opponents scoring four goals. In the second period the Governors appeared stronger and held the Middlesex team scoreless for the remainder of the game, although they were unable to score for themselves. The Red Club found Middlesex aggressive and had to resort to defensive play.

VARSITY HOCKEY TEAM
BOWS TO BROWNE AND NICHOLS

The Governor Dummer hockey team went to the Boston Arena on Wednesday, January 17, to meet an aggressive Browne and Nichols squad. Both teams played evenly the first period, neither scoring. The second period saw two goals scored by B & N against one for the Governors.

During the third period the opponents scored in the first minute of play, followed soon by Ronnie Campion's second goal of the day. The Governors showed improvement over their last game, but still were not strong enough to withstand the powerful playing of B & N. The final score was 2 to 1.

MORE BRIEFLY

Mr. and Mrs. A. Macdonald Murphy of the faculty are the parents of a son, Stephen Macdonald Murphy, born January 13.

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On February 7 Mr. Leslie D. Manning of the faculty spoke on "Jungles of South America" at the Laymen's League supper at the First Religious Society of Newburyport (Unitarian). After World War II Mr. Manning was employed as a geologist for Texaco in Putumayo, upper Amazon Basin, and he is believed to be the first white man to enter this region.

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